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Sir:

In compliance with 37 CFR 1.98 and 37 CFR 1.97 applicant requests the Commissioner consider the below listed prior art during the examination of the above-cited application.

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REMARKS

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